

FIRE HAZARDS MAY MEAN HIGHER RATE FOR GUILTY PARTY

Mayor and City Marshal Get Assurance From Business Men That All Inflammable Material Will Be Removed From Alleys in Effort to Prevent General Increase.

Mayor Harry Mason and City Marshal R. H. Bratton have obtained assurance from the business men that all inflammable material will be removed from the alleys and that alleys will be put in condition that will decrease the danger of fire to a minimum. Mr. Mason has forwarded this information to the State Department of Banking and Insurance, adding his determination to see that these promises are fulfilled, which, he believes, will operate to influence the officials at Austin to permanently withdraw the order issued recently raising the key rate for Vernon from 57 cents to 60 cents.

Mr. Bratton announces his intention to make a thorough inspection about September 1, not only of the alleys but of the interior of all business houses with a view to having all inflammable material either removed or placed in a safe place. Business men will be warned to remove such trash and to otherwise make their premises fire-safe.

It is Mr. Bratton's plans to make another round about a week later and those who have made no efforts to clean up will be reported to the insurance officials at Austin which will likely result in the offender having his rate increased.

THREE WILL PLEAD GUILTY.

Men Charged With Stealing C. J. Farrell's Buick Expect to Ask Suspended Sentence.

The three men who were brought back to Vernon from Sapulpa, Okla., this week charged with the theft of C. J. Farrell's Buick car, were given preliminary hearings in justice court Tuesday.

They made voluntary statements to R. D. L. Killough, acting county attorney, admitting their guilt. They expect to plead guilty when arraigned in district court next month and will ask for suspended sentences.

Justice Griffiths fixed the bond of each man at \$1,000, but no effort will be made to secure their release before court opens next week.

ASKEA-LANG REFINERY OPENS OFFICE IN BAILEY BUILDING

The Askea-Lang Refining Company has opened offices in the Bailey Hotel building. Dr. W. M. Lang, president of the company, says that stock is being sold rapidly, and it is hoped the company can begin construction at an early date.

The refinery will have a capacity of 500 barrels and the capital of the company will be \$200,000. Dr. Lang is confident of the profits he will be able to earn stockholders, and calls attention to the Golden Rod Oil & Refining Company, operating a 1,000-barrel refining plant in the northwest Burk Burnett field, which declared last week a dividend of 100 per cent. The plant has been in operation only since June 10.

KENTUCKIANS IN CONGRESS AT 26 IS COUSIN OF A. M. HIATT

King Swope of Louisville, Ky., the 26-year-old soldier, who in a sensational campaign won a seat in Congress from his district, is a cousin of A. M. Hiatt of Vernon. Swope was elected on the Republican ticket. His majority was about 1,500 in a district normally Democratic by a majority of about 3,000.

The congressman-elect served throughout the war. He is the first returned soldier to be elected to Congress.

Meeting at Hinds Begins Sunday.

Rev. Gaines B. Hall will begin a series of meetings at Hinds Sunday evening. The first service will be held at 4 o'clock. Rev. Hall is pastor of the Presbyterian Church in Vernon.

TEACHERS NOT ONLY PERSONS UNABLE TO PAY \$20 FOR ROOMS

"Could Not Make Such Charge and Live With My Conscience" One Citizen Declares—Suggested That Matter Be Turned Over to Parent-Teachers' Association.

With but few exceptions, men approached in a canvass for suggestions to meet the situation arising as a result of the announcement that teachers in the local schools can not pay \$20 to \$30 a month for rooms, agree that prices being asked by many for room and house rent are exorbitant.

One man declared that "he could not charge as much as some are for rooms and live with his conscience." In answer to the statement that it is worth \$20 or \$30 a month for a home to be bothered with a roomer, the reply was made that in such case the room should not be rented, for where a family is inconvenienced to any great extent \$30 would not pay for the inconvenience.

No one denies the fact that a householder is entitled to receive a fair increase over prices charged a year ago. It is just as generally agreed that the charging of \$20 to \$30 a month for rooms that rented last year at from \$8 to \$12, or even \$15 a month, is unfair and unreasonable. For the most part, these rooms consist of four walls, comfortably furnished, but without very great expense, and without heat.

Not All Are Profiteering.

To the credit of Vernon citizenship, it may be said that not nearly all of the housewives are asking \$20 to \$30 a month for rooms. Many young men and women are paying little, if any, more than they paid a year ago. For the most part, the exorbitant prices are being asked by people who did not rent rooms last year.

It should be understood, too, that teachers are not the only ones who can not afford to pay these prices. Clerks and office workers can not pay them last year.

W. A. Lane suggests that the matter be turned over to the Parent-Teachers Association, or some other of the women's clubs, and let them canvass the town and see what can be done. "There is no question in the minds of the people generally that many persons are charging too much rent for houses as well as rooms, but to make the statement, and let it go at that, will not get us anywhere. The women have been doing things, and I have confidence they can handle this matter expeditiously."

Superintendent B. F. Sisk of the city schools would remind householders that teachers are more desirable as roomers or tenants than the average person seeking rooms in Vernon now. The greatest demand comes from drillers and men who work around the oil wells, he said. They are more or less transient, and necessarily can not take the best care of a room. For this reason, he makes the point that people can afford to rent their rooms at lower charge to teachers.

Should Pay Teachers More.

One man made the point that teachers should be paid enough to enable them to live, if anything, above the average, in view of the educational and moral standards required. The knowledge, he said, that concessions were being made in their behalf would be embarrassing. That teachers should be paid enough to live above the average was unchallenged, but it was maintained that the abolition of profiteering in rents and the bringing down of prices to a reasonable level would certainly not be charity, and that no man would be embarrassed if he knew he was paying the worth of what he received.

The citizens are apparently unanimous that Vernon teachers should be better paid and every one approached on the matter so declared himself. The superintendent's salary was increased to \$2,700 and a nominal increase was given the teachers. Mayor Harry Mason reminds the citizens that further increase is out of the question so far as 1919-20 is concerned, because the only way to get more money is to increase further the valuation of city property, or by an election amending the city charter and increase the levy for schools to more than 50 cents on each \$100 valuation. Neither can be done for 1919-20.

THRONGS AT SCHOOL SHOPS FOR THE ARMY FOOD



Market basket in hand, thousands of men, women and children in New York hurried to the fifty-eight school buildings in the second day's sale of surplus army foods. The crowds were two or three times as large as on the opening day. The municipal stores were swamped. Most stocks were sold out in the forenoon. Call went out for additional help. Many times the amount of supplies on hand could have been sold if it had been possible to make the distribution. The public was most anxious to get meat and eagerly took up the 250,000 pounds of bacon offered.

PUPILS MOVING IN WANTED THURSDAY

SUPERINTENDENT SISK NEEDS REPORT CARDS TO CLASSIFY TRANSFERS.

Superintendent B. F. Sisk of the local city schools will be in his office in the high school building Thursday and Friday of next week for the purpose of classifying all students who have moved to Vernon from other school districts since the taking of the scholastic census. Parents are urged to see that their children report to him and bring their report cards. Students who attended the Vernon schools last year are already classified and need not report on these days.

All students who anticipate attending the city schools the coming session are, however, requested to be present in their respective rooms on Monday, September 8. The session of 1919-20 will begin on that day.

The assignment of the teachers to rooms and classes will be made, Mr. Sisk advises, early next week after the teachers arrive and are located. The proximity of the teacher's lodging place to the school building will be considered in making assignments.

DOANS BOY GETS DISCHARGE.

H. C. Richardson Served Fourteen Months With 28th Division—Was Wounded at Metz.

J. P. Richardson of Doans was in Vernon Wednesday, and was rejoicing over the news that his brother, H. C., had been discharged and was expected home from the army. The discharge was dated August 9, and was issued in New York.

The Doans boy served fourteen months with the 28th Division. He was wounded last September at Metz. Since January he has been on guard duty at Versailles, France, where the Peace Conference was held.

He is a son of J. M. Richardson, and a brother of Mrs. Mattie Eaves.

Many Car Sales Reported.

Napier Bros. Ford & Motor Company report the sale of Ford touring cars to Paul Carpenter, R. J. Byars, G. H. Davenport, J. H. Smith, B. F. Byars and S. P. Clement. Robinson Motor Company sold Buick touring cars to C. A. Allingham and G. C. Morris. The sale of a White truck with a Warner trailer is reported by the Vernon Overland Company.

WEST VIRGINIA MAN ANSWERS RECORD AD

GEORGIANS ALSO WIRE FOR CONFIRMATION OF PROPOSITION IN RECORD.

From Belmont, West Va., comes an answer to an item recently printed in The Record. August 19 there was printed a statement that W. J. Penton had 100 acres of land that he would be glad to give some one to drill for oil. Yesterday a letter was received from Chas. F. Ingraham, inclosing stamped envelope for reply.

"I would like to get in communication with Mr. Penton," the writer said, "as I intend to make that part of your State a visit in the near future, looking for some good oil territory to operate. I am already interested in some of your development work at Burkburnett and Harrold."

Recently C. S. McColloch received a telegram from Milledgeville, Ga., asking him to advise by wire what he thought of the Staley Farm Oil Company as an investment proposition. It was advertised in The Record. Stock of the company was taken off the market, however, and no sales were made.

These two items, taken in connection with the sale of \$5,000 worth of Burk-Wagoner stock to a Nebraskan who had seen it advertised in The Record, are remarkable tributes to the power of advertising, as well as to The Record as an advertising medium.

\$150 INVESTED IN WANT ADS SELLS \$700 WORTH OF FRUIT

Advertising is solving the problem of marketing fruit and country produce now, as well as dry goods, groceries, and automobiles—at less cost because it saves time—more satisfactorily than peddling the goods in person.

Recently Hockersmith & Anderson advertised in The Record that they had peaches for sale and named the day a man would be at the orchard. They sold about \$700 worth of peaches in less than a week, and buyers from Electra took more than \$100 worth of the peaches—people who had no other way of learning about the sale than through these advertisements. \$700 worth of goods sold on an investment of \$150!

Record advertising always brings results.

DECLARES WAR ON UNSANITARY ALLEYS

CITY PHYSICIAN SAYS PLACES IN BUSINESS DISTRICT ARE MENACE.

Dr. Sumrow Greene, city health officer, has declared war on unsanitary alleys. Some alleys in the business section are in disgraceful condition and are a menace to the health of the citizenship of Vernon, Dr. Greene insists. Requests that business men attend to cleaning the premises in the rear of their business houses have so far, been ignored in almost every case, he reports, and declares himself as being determined to use more stringent measures.

"With the unsanitary condition prevailing as to alleys in the business section of the town, the city of Vernon is indeed fortunate that some epidemic has not broken out," Dr. Greene maintains. "It is fortunate that the number of deaths from typhoid fever has been so few. Surely the people do not realize the inherent danger or they would not be so indifferent. In the future requests will be made that the premises be cleaned within a certain time and if something has not been done when that time expires the offender will be arrested and subjected to a fine. One thing is certain—the alleys must be kept clean."

Dr. Greene calls attention to the fact that some business men take pride in the way the alleys are kept, but on the whole, they are indifferent to the matter. He insists that civic pride, aside from the sanitary phase, should prompt them to clean up.

W. C. Hawkins Will Build Home.

W. C. Hawkins has let the contract to J. B. Norris for the construction of a modern residence on his lots on East Wilbarger street. Plans call for five rooms and a bath, and the residence will be equipped with all modern conveniences.

Communion Service Sunday.

The Lord's supper will be commemorated at the Methodist Church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, following Sunday School at 10 o'clock. There will be no service Sunday night, as Rev. Henry F. Brooks will return to Fargo, where he is holding a protracted meeting.

To Medicine Park for Week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wheatley and daughter, Katherine, and Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Hockersmith and son, Billy, left Thursday for Medicine Park to spend a week's vacation.

FREIGHT IS MOVING FROM VERNON WITH LESS TROUBLE NOW

Traffic Manager of Fort Worth Freight Bureau Promises an Adjustment Within Three Weeks—Assistant to Regional Director at Chicago in Personal Charge at Wichita Falls.

An adjustment of the freight situation in Texas yards is promised within three weeks by Ed P. Byars, traffic manager of the Fort Worth Bureau, according to the reports in the daily press. L. C. Mahoney, assistant to Regional Director Holden of Chicago, has been placed directly in charge of the situation at Wichita Falls, where apparently the congestion is greatest, due to the heavy traffic to and from the oil fields.

Mr. Mahoney will have charge of the movement of cars on every line in this district. State Railroad Commissioner Clarence E. Gilmore is authority for the statement that already a big portion of the traffic from the Northwest has been diverted to other roads from the Fort Worth & Denver in order to relieve the congestion at Wichita Falls and in the Panhandle, due to the heavy shipments of wheat.

Congressman Marvin Jones has filed a complaint with the Railroad administration at Washington in behalf of the wheat growers of the Panhandle. The wheat crop in that section is somewhat later than in this county and the complaint alleges that the farmers in that section are having considerable trouble receiving harvest machinery and other material needed to harvest their crop. Mr. Jones was promised that an immediate investigation would be made with a view of granting early relief.

Fewer Oil Cars Through Vernon.

Despite the fact that the wheat embargo against Galveston has been made even more stringent, the congestion in the Vernon yards has been somewhat relieved during the last few days. At least the wheat is being moved out of the local yards, whether or not it reaches destination. A great deal of this grain was billed to Galveston before the embargo was put into effect. For several days last week something near eighty-five cars of wheat were tied up in the Vernon yards. This number has been reduced to fifty or less. A whole train load, consisting of twenty-one cars of wheat was shipped out Monday.

The congestion in Vernon is considerably aggravated by the large amount of wheat coming from Oklahoma over the Frisco to be transferred to the Denver here. More than 100 earloads have been received over the Frisco during the last few weeks, according to Local Agent L. L. Herald.

The situation is further complicated, to a degree, by movement of oil from the neighboring oil fields through Vernon to Northern points. This traffic has been light, however, during the last few weeks.

WILL MOVE TO VERNON.

M. Rainwater of Oklaunion Buys Home on West Maiden for Benefits of School.

M. Rainwater of Oklaunion has bought a residence located on West Maiden street from C. N. Hobson. Mr. Rainwater is planning to occupy the new property as a home and will move within the next few days as he is making the change to receive the benefits of the city schools.

Mr. Hobson, in turn, bought a place in East Vernon from Claud Turley and will move within the next few days.

The transactions were handled by Rogers & Jackson.

RESUME DRILLING ON LIBERTY.

Fishing Job of Several Weeks Was Finished Wednesday on Well Near Harrold.

After having been a fishing job for several weeks, drilling on the well of the Liberty Oil and Development Company of this city, was resumed yesterday. A bit became lodged in the hole and for the past week or two it had been feared that it would be necessary to abandon the hole and move the rig a few feet to start another well.

The Liberty well is southeast of Harrold on section 26, block 13. It is now about 1,000 feet deep.

FEW AGAINST ISSUE OF \$25,000.00 FOR PAVING AND WATER

Luther Webb Defeats J. H. E. Young for City Commissioner to Succeed Dr. T. A. King—Car of Machinery on Track for Beginning Street Improvement.

Luther Webb defeated J. H. E. Young for place No. 3 on the City Commission of Vernon in the election held Tuesday by a vote of 168 to 24. The election was to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Dr. T. A. King who, since his election in April, has been appointed on the State Board of Medical Examiners, and was obliged to give up his place on the Commission under the law prohibiting the holding of a State office and a city office concurrently.

The question of whether or not the city should issue street pavement bonds to the extent of \$15,000 and water and sewer improvement and extension bonds amounting to \$10,000 was also submitted to the voters. Despite the fact that the issuance of these notes will not incur any additional taxes, and that announcement had repeatedly been made before the election, seven voters expressed themselves as being opposed to the street improvement bonds and six voted against the water and sewer improvement bonds. The total vote cast in the bond election was 177. The situation permitting the issuance of the additional bonds without adding to the city taxes is due to the fact that the tax levy and rate fixed for last year is sufficient to cover the added expense.

The interest displayed by the voters in the election was not what might have been expected, officials think. Out of a total voting strength about 500, only 196 votes were cast.

With the issuance of the \$15,000 worth of bonds voted Tuesday, the city will have available a total of \$45,000 to be used in paving streets. This includes the \$30,000 issue voted last year.

The Commission has ordered the paving of forty-two additional blocks to be distributed on West Texas, West Paradise, West Peace, South Main, East Texas, East Wilbarger and Cumberland streets. The contract for the paving of approximately 50,000 square yards has already been awarded to H. K. McCollum of Fort Worth. Arrangements for additional work will be made later.

Mr. McCollum has a car of machinery on the track here in preparation for beginning of work on the Vernon streets at an early date. Actual work will, in all probability, commence some time soon after September 1.

13 STUDENTS FROM WILBARGER.

779 Enrolled in West Texas Normal College at Canyon This Summer.

Among the 779 who enrolled in the West Texas State Normal College at Canyon this summer were thirteen from Wilbarger county. In addition thereto, Superintendent B. F. Sisk was one of the faculty. Thirteen students registered from Wichita and seven from Hardeman county. Randall county, in which the college is located, furnished eighty-eight students, and Hale county, with thirty-seven, furnished next most.

Students came from 108 Texas counties. There were only six counties west of Fort Worth and north of the Texas & Pacific railroad not represented in the student body. The fall term opens September 26.

Six states, other than Texas, furnished twenty-seven pupils. One came from Arkansas, three from Kansas, ten from New Mexico, eleven from Oklahoma, one from California, and one from Colorado.

Banks and Postoffice to Close Monday.

The local banks will remain closed Monday, September 1, in observance of Labor Day, as will also the postoffice. The general delivery window will be opened from 11 until 12 only. No rural deliveries will be made. City carriers will make one delivery, in the morning, and that only in the business section.



More's

TODAY.
Wm. S. HART
in
"Square Deal Sanderson."
and a funny two-reel comedy
"LIONS AND LADIES."

SATURDAY
PRISCILLA DEAN
in
"The Exquisite Thief"
and two-reel Big V. Comedy.

MONDAY—ARTCRAFT SPECIAL
"Career of Katherine Bush."

TUESDAY—SESSUE HAYAKAWA in
"HEARTS IN PAWN."



*Sessue Hayakawa,
Haworth Mutual.*

At the Theaters

Pictorium.
Saturday—Bessie Love in "A Yankee Princess." Miss Love is the daughter of an Irish contractor who makes his millions all of a sudden and then starts out to buy an ancestry to insure his daughter's place in society. He buys a bogus family tree and nearly acquires a bogus son-in-law, but Patsy's wit and fighting qualities save the day.

Wilbarger-Foard Over 600 Feet.
A depth of over 600 feet has been attained in the Wilbarger-Foard well near Rayland. The drillers are now underground in preparation for setting more casing. A cave-in several days ago has caused some delay. The drillers report that the formations encountered are extremely encouraging.

Visit Our Mattress Display.
A display room has been opened by Price's Mattress Factory at 203 West Wilbarger street—next door to the factory. You are invited to visit our display of new mattresses. We also make over your old mattress and give it a new lease on life.

Waggoner Colony Making Progress.
Practically no delay has been incurred in the drilling operations on the Waggoner Colony well northwest of Harrold. The work is being pushed at a depth of more than 1,000 feet and the indications for a paying well are favorable.

For Sale.
Oil leases of 1,500 acres, solid body. Oil leases near locations, derricks now up; have lease of various sizes in all parts of county. 10,000 acre improved ranch, all tillable, at \$16,000 per acre; 5,000 acres well improved and watered land, all tillable but 500 acres. Price \$16,000. See J. E. Lutz. 46-1f

Georgetown M. May Locate Here.
Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Stanford of Georgetown are in Vernon prospecting. Mr. Stanford has practically made up his mind to locate in this city. The Georgetown man is a brother of A. T. Stanford, residing on North Mesquite street.

See My Wallpaper Samples.
I have a nice line of wall paper sample books, and would be glad to bring them to your house and sell you the paper for your new home. Just telephone 540.
W. B. JAMESON.
39-8tp

Plenty of Doves and Ducks.
F. L. Baker of Abilene, district representative of the Bealington Arms U. M. C. Co., was in Vernon yesterday. Mr. Baker says there is the greatest number of doves he has ever seen. Ducks will be plentiful, too, he predicts. The hunting season on doves opens September 1.

C. E. Rogers expects to return to his home in Arkansas today after having spent several days in Vernon visiting his uncle, E. M. Rogers.

If you haven't a kodak of your own, we will loan you one free. If you want to buy, we sell the Eastman line. Kramer Studio. Adv. 39-1f

Miss Bess Thompson returned to her home in Hillsboro Wednesday after a several weeks' visit in Vernon with her aunt, Mrs. C. T. Sullivan.

We specialize on Buicks, Paiges, Hudsons and in fact all other big cars. I don't work boys and charge you mechanic prices. All work guaranteed to be first class at Freeman's Cash Shop, located in the old Key blacksmith shop, north Main street, Vernon, Texas. Adv. 60-8tc

DAVIS HEADS DRIVE OF SALVATION ARMY

COUNTY'S QUOTA OF CAMPAIGN TO BEGIN SEPTEMBER 29 NOT ANNOUNCED.

U. S. Davis has been named county chairman of the campaign for funds for the home service of the Salvation Army. L. D. Wade of Atlanta, Ga., has been here two days in the interest of organization work. He is in charge of the Fort Worth district and his headquarters during the campaign will be in that city.

Texas, Louisiana, Arkansas and Oklahoma are asked to subscribe a million dollars to the fund. Wilbarger county's quota has not been announced. The drive begins September 29th, and while no date has been set for its close, it is hoped that the work will be completed in a week.

The money to be raised in this campaign will be used in financing home service work of the Army on a larger scale than ever before attempted by the organization. None of the welfare organizations made a better record with the United States Army overseas than the Salvation Army. Every returned soldier is a booster for the Salvationists and the organization is more highly appreciated since the war than ever before.

Maps for Sale.
Maps of Wilbarger and Hardeman counties, may be had on application to R. H. Stuckey, Chillicothe, Texas. Size of maps 26x30 inches. Wilbarger map shows all of blocks No. 10-16 extending into Hardeman county, also all of blocks 8-18 and E and part of Block A, Foard county. Hardeman county map, shows all of blocks No. 10 and 16 of Wilbarger county. Price of either map, blue print or paper \$1.50.
R. H. STUCKEY, Architect.
59-8tc Chillicothe, Texas.

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Let anything interfere with these processes—let them be interrupted or improperly carried on, and sickness of some kind follows.

Poor digestion and assimilation means failure to derive full nourishment from food and that in turn often means impoverished blood, weakness, anemia, etc. Poor elimination means an accumulation of waste matter which poisons the body, lowers vitality, decreases the power of resistance to disease and leads to the development of many serious ills.

Rheumatism,—due to some interference with the process of elimination, failure to get rid of certain body poisons,—cannot be expected to yield to any medicine that fails to correct the condition responsible for it. Could any reasonable person expect to rid himself of rheumatic pain as long as

rheumatic poison is allowed to remain in the body.

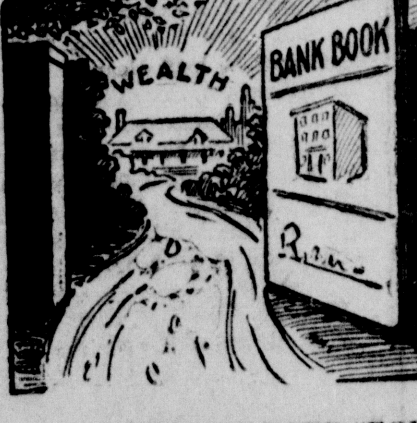
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VERNON, TEXAS.

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Farmer's Nerves Were Shattered—Had Lost Forty Pounds—Tanlac Restores Health.

"I never expected to be the strong, well man I am today and my neighbors think my recovery is the most astonishing thing that has ever happened in this part of the country," said Hiram Robinson, a well known farmer, R. F. D. 3, Randolph, Illinois, in relating his remarkable experience with Tanlac recently.

"I used to think no medicine could help me," he continued, "But I've got to hand it to Tanlac, as it has not only relieved me entirely of all my suffering, but has added nearly forty pounds to my weight besides. For eleven years I was hardly able to be up, much less work, and when I ventured to eat anything except broth and the very lightest of food I would put in a day of the worst misery imaginable. If I ate a piece of pie or cake or a little fruit, gas would form on my stomach and bring on such awful cramping pains that I could hardly stand it. This gas would press on my heart, nearly cutting off my breath, and cause such a dizzy whirling sensation in my head that I thought I would go distracted. I dropped down all of forty pounds in weight and got so weak that I could hardly walk. At the time I got Tanlac I had not been able to do my work for a year. I was not only an absolute wreck physically, but my nerves were in such a shape that I couldn't lie still at night and during the day I was just like a fish out of water. I was habitually constipated and had such a hurting in my head just back of my eyes that I couldn't read at all. I was so nervous, weak and dizzy that I was actually afraid to drive a team to town and had taken so many different medicines without getting any better that I had given up in utter despair.

"But one day I was persuaded by my wife to get a bottle of Tanlac and right there is where my recovery started. If I should sit down here and talk or write for a solid week I couldn't tell how thankful I am for getting out of my misery to where I can enjoy living again. I now eat all kinds of

meats, vegetables, pies and cake. In fact I eat like a wolf and enjoy every mouthful, and never have the least trouble with my stomach. I sleep as good as I did when a boy and can do as much work as I ever could in my life. I used to lag behind the boys in the field, when I was able to work at all, but now they have to step some to keep up with me. I am not one bit constipated and haven't had one cramp in my stomach since Tanlac commenced to bring me out of the kinks. What I say is more than verified by my looks, but my neighbors will tell you the same thing. I will never get through praising Tanlac."

Tanlac is sold by all leading druggists. Adv.1f

City property, lands and oil leases. List your stuff with me. J. B. Love, office room 7, Lutz building. 62-1f

Rev. J. H. Hamplen of Crowell visited friends and transacted business in Vernon yesterday.

Lot 60 1-2 by 290 feet on West Texas street, north front. A bargain if taken at once. J. B. Love. Telephone 625. 62-1f Adv.

Mrs. D. F. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Beatty and Mrs. S. H. Pruyar, all of Crowell, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Norwood.

At the PICTORIUM THEATRE

FRIDAY
Olive Thomas in "The Spite Bride."
First release of Select's new star. Don't miss this one. Also L. Ko. Comedy, "TWO GUN TRIXIE."

SATURDAY.
"A Yankee Princess," featuring Bessie Love.
8th and 9th episode of "Perils of Thunder Mountain." MUTT AND JEFF COMEDY.

MONDAY.
Bessie Barriscale in "Two Gun Betty."
HAROLD LLOYD COMEDY.

STARTING TUESDAY—Pathe's most thrilling serial, "THE GREAT GAMBLE"—ANNA LUTHER and CHAS. HUTCHISON. Better than Houdini. See the first episode. Also "BROKEN LAW," featuring WILLIAM FARNUM.

Mrs. S. A. Griggs of Waxahachie and Mrs. J. C. Smith of Waco and grand-daughter, Mrs. C. R. Joyce of Fort Worth, are visiting at the home of their sister and niece, respectively, Mrs. J. E. Prince.

daughter, Miss Mary Mounk of Arlington spent Tuesday in Vernon visiting sister and niece, respectively, Mrs. J. at the home of Mrs. J. W. Kerr. Mrs. Kerr is an aunt of Mrs. Smith.

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REPORTS ARE EASTERN CAPITALISTS OFFER \$2,500,000 FOR HALF INTEREST.

Recent reports coming from reliable sources are to the effect that New York capitalists are on a deal with R. M. Waggoner at Burkburnett to purchase one half of the royalty on oil lands owned by him near that city for \$2,500,000. Mr. Waggoner owns all of blocks S2 and S4 and part of an adjoining block out of the Red River Valley lands of Wichita county. This is the acreage on which the Burkburnett well was drilled and the field is commonly referred to as the "Waggoner" pool.

The Waggoner holdings are said to have a potential production of something near 40,000 barrels daily. The purchase of a half interest in Mr. Waggoner's royalty would give the New York parties one-sixteenth of this production while Mr. Waggoner would retain one-sixteenth.

Mr. Waggoner is a former resident of Vernon and is well known in Wilbarger county. He was engaged in the cattle business while a resident of this county. He resided in East Vernon.

Elliott News.

Elliott, Aug. 28.—(By special correspondence.)—Elliott was visited by a nice rain Tuesday night. Threshing will be delayed for a few days. Sunday afternoon there was quite a sandstorm, which blew down the flag pole and some basket-ball goals at the school house and the oil derrick on the Morris farm. The wind also took the tops from some barns.

Bee Lucas and Miss Macie Stephens surprised their friends of this community by motoring to Vernon and being quietly married Monday afternoon. We wish them a long and happy life.

Mrs. Blacklock of Wichita Falls is visiting her mother, Mrs. Henry Lucas.

Miss Lena Stephens of Vernon is visiting friends in Elliott this week.

Mrs. Pete Kelly and Mrs. Lawson Norther are visiting relatives in Electra.

Mrs. Alma Lemon, Mrs. A. H. Bates, and Miss Lena Stephens visited Mrs. W. T. Hutchins Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Yearby were shopping in Vernon Tuesday afternoon.

Threshing is progressing nicely after having to stop for several days on account of the rain. There is a shortage of hands as all want to get their maize and feterita gathered before cotton picking begins. Some say their old cotton is opening. The prospects are good for a fair crop of cotton around Elliott.

Jack Glover and family were visiting in Vernon Monday. Mr. Glover's mother from Floydada and his sister, Mrs. Gilder, and daughter, Mrs. Charley Bland, of Dallas have been visiting him for several days. Mrs. Bland received word that her husband had arrived from overseas, so she returned home last week.

Amos Bates and family accompanied by Mrs. Pete King, motored to Electra Sunday afternoon. Mr. Bates is working at Lina Motor Company of Electra.

Wedding bells were ringing in Elliott last week. Guiss Guolt of Electra and Miss Virgie Lemons were quietly married at the home of the bride's father. Quite a number of friends and relatives were present. All wish them a long and happy life. Mrs. Guolt will be sadly missed by the host of friends. They will reside in Electra for the present.

Mrs. Tom Hutchins had the misfortune to get her right hand badly burned by lye. She was taking soap out of a kettle and the lye cut into her finger tips causing great pain for several days.

Mrs. Pete Kelly and children have returned home from Chillicothe, where she has been visiting her mother for several days. Mrs. Kelly's daughter, Mrs. Frankie Norther of Oklahoma, accompanied her to Chillicothe. Mrs. Kelly will move to Electra next week. Mr. Kelly will run the Electra gin this coming season.

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R. Clyde Smith returned to his home in Chillicothe Sunday, after a visit at the home of his father-in-law, A. M. Hiatt. He was accompanied by A. M. Jr., who returned to Vernon Monday.

Mrs. W. W. Kilpatrick of Comanche is visiting at the home of Rev. Gaines R. Hall. She is Rev. Hall's mother-in-law, and accompanied his children home.

Thalia News.

Thalia, Aug. 28.—(By special correspondence.)—The Baptist meeting closed Sunday night.

Mark Self and daughters, Grace and Mrs. Maggie Capps, motored to Vernon Thursday.

Clyde Self of Burkburnett is visiting his parents, Mark Self and family here.

Henry Randolph and family took dinner with H. W. Ranister and family Sunday.

Otto Schroeder and family and Paul Schroeder of Muldoon, spent Sunday with Carl Schoppa and family at Rayland.

Flora Bradford spent Friday night with Knuxie Barross here and attended church.

Mrs. John Bradford and daughter and son, Flora and Carl, visited with S. P. Keeney and family Monday afternoon.

Greek Davis and family and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Rector of Aversville and W. M. Wisdom and daughter, Miss Fannie, spent Sunday with Luke Johnson and family.

Flora Bradford spent Saturday night with Norie Crisp near Rayland.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jobe came in for a visit with his parents, Dave Jobe, and family one day last week.

Roice Dawdy and sister, Gertrude, left Monday for their home at Trent. Mr. Dawdy led the singing during Elder Cypert's meeting, which closed Sunday night with four additions to the Church of Christ.

Ann Locklin of New Mexico, is here visiting her sister, Miss Nannie Sneed, in the Lat Johnson home.

Wilt Locklin and family of Denton, are here visiting his mother, Mrs. Ann Locklin, who is in the Luke Johnson home visiting.

Paul Schroeder of Muldoon, came in Wednesday for a week's visit with his brother, Otto Schroeder and family.

Frank Short and little son of McKinney, spent a few days here visiting his parents, W. H. Short and family.

Ewald Schroeder and Loyd Porter

motored to Electra Thursday to get the latter's mother, whose home is in Mexico. She has been visiting her son, T. J. Porter at Electra for some time.

Albert Jones returned from overseas Friday bearing an honorable discharge.

Wright Randolph and sister, Blanch, and Gertrude Dawdy of Trent, took dinner with Miss Belle Abston Sunday.

Paul Giragzin and family left Saturday for their home at Gainesville, after spending some time here visiting relatives.

S. W. Tole and family and Tom Ward and sisters, Pearl and Lena, of Rayland and Mrs. O. L. Rector and daughter, Mrs. John Williamson, and baby, visited Sam Tole's family Sunday.

Mrs. Hugh Thompson and her sister, Mrs. W. W. Bennett of Erie, Okla., left this week for Cisco, where they will visit their father a few days.

Rev. Pierson is conducting a meeting at Rayland. It began Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Stapp returned to their home in Little Rock, Ark., Saturday after an extended visit in Vernon with her mother, Mrs. Prudence Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Burks and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ray of Denton, Mrs. G. C. Watkins and children of Ector, and Mrs. L. P. Gardner of Granfield, Okla., are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ned Curtis. Mmes. Burks, Watkins and Gardner are sisters of Mrs. Curtis, and Mrs. Ray is her niece.

Rayland News.

Rayland, Aug. 28.—(By special correspondence.)—S. H. Allin and grandpa Graves are visiting in Arkadelphia, Ark., this week.

The Methodist meeting closed Sunday night. There were three conversions, two additions to the church.

Quite a number of the young people spent last Sunday afternoon with Miss Mary Walker.

Misses Flora Bradford, Notie Crisp, and Veda Crisp and Messrs. Allen French, Roland Graves, Ralph Gregg and Arnold Young took dinner with Dewitt and Frank Edwards Sunday.

The Baptist meeting began Wednesday night.

The Farmers Union Gin Company have begun overhauling their gin under management of W. A. Walker.

Fred Caldwell, H. D. Lawson, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Young and Mrs. N. J. Beazley spent last Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. E. I. Edwards.

Rev. E. R. Thorp and family of Margaret were in Rayland Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schroeder and family of Thalia spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Schoppa Sunday.

Dr. R. D. German is visiting in Tipton, Okla., this week.

E. I. Edwards is on the sick list.

Holt Lloyd returned yesterday to Oklahoma City where he has accepted a position. He has been visiting in Vernon with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Lloyd.

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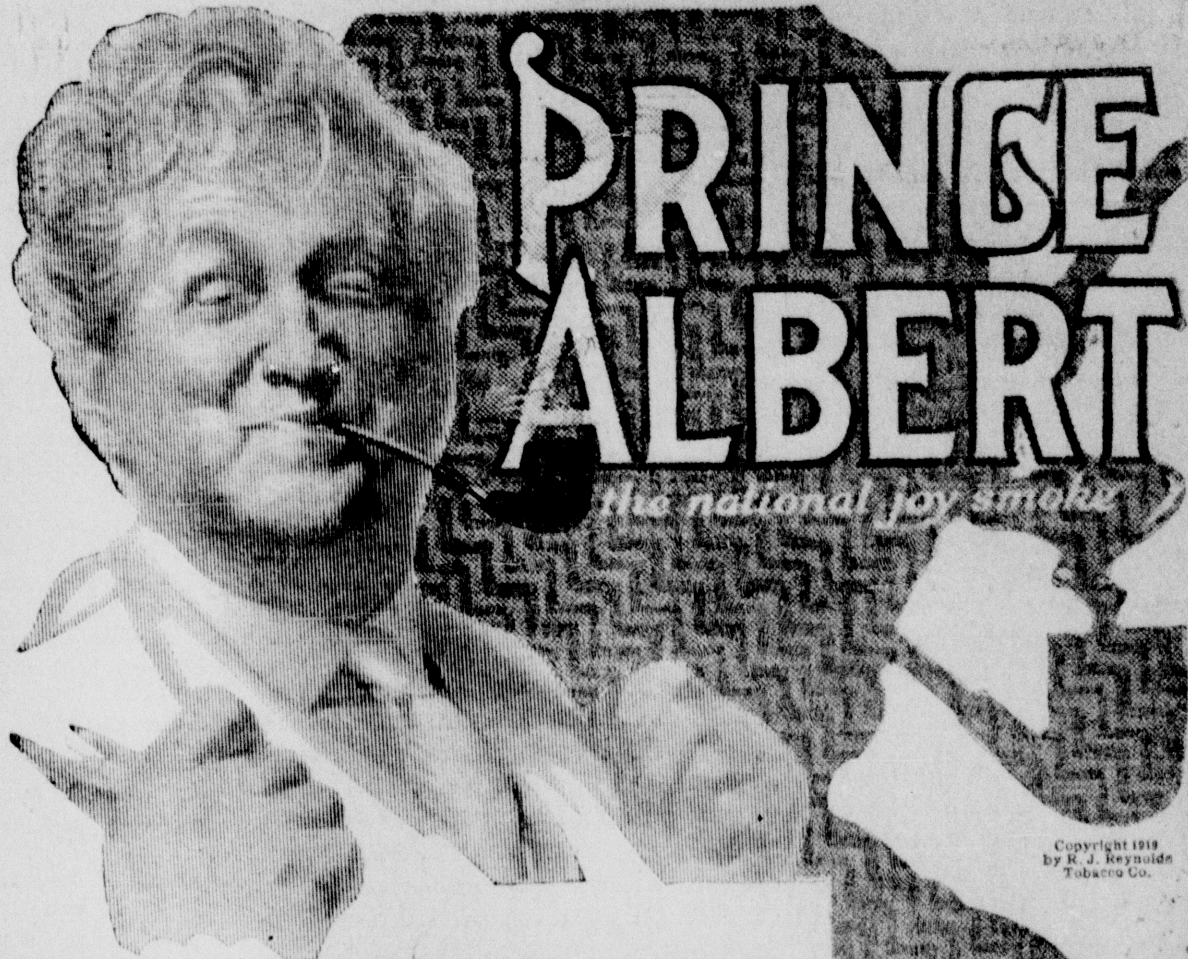
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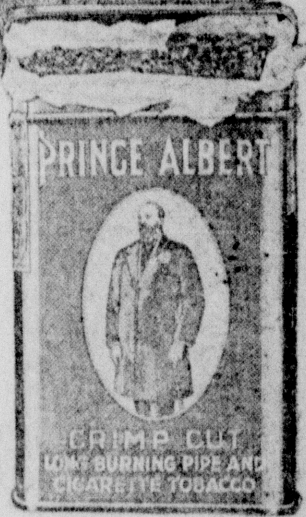
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Vernon, Texas, Friday, Aug. 29, 1919

REPUBLICANS WOULDN'T MEDDLE.

Some Republican Senators have been opposing the League of Nations on the ground that it would be meddling in European affairs. This week those same Senators adopted an amendment to the peace treaty giving German rights in Shantung to China instead of Japan, as provided in the Versailles convention. Great Britain, Italy and other nations have ratified the treaty in its original form.

Now these Republicans propose to say to the world that the United States is going to dictate affairs in the Far East. This is further proof that much of the opposition to the peace treaty is born of a senseless partisanship.

A group of Republican Senators have shown that they are neither sincere nor patriotic. It is Mr. Wilson that they oppose—not the League of Nations, and being peanut politicians they can find no better way to manifest their dislike of the President than by opposing the peace treaty.

It has been only a little more than a year ago since Senator Lodge, the most conspicuous opponent of the treaty, was touring the country making speeches in advocacy of a League of Nations. The thing that changed his views is that it fell to President Wilson's lot to have something to do with the formation of the League.

WHO IS PROFITEERING?

A great outcry is being made against profiteering. Retail merchants and laborers are receiving most of the criticism. The Record has no intention of defending profiteering in any quarter, but in considering the problem of high prices, we ought, in all fairness, to go around the circle.

Some merchants, doubtless, are profiteering. Some classes of labor are making unreasonable demands. It is also true that people are asking \$20 and \$25 per month for rooms that they were glad to rent a year ago for half that sum. It is likewise true, that house rents are being raised in similar proportions by many landlords.

One woman recently complained about negroes asking 50 cents a dozen for washing clothes. This same good lady is asking \$20 per month for ordinary rooms, four walls, a bed, chair and other ordinary conveniences. The same rooms, or similar ones, a year ago, rented for \$10 per month or \$12.50 at most.

Housewives and landlords should bear in mind when they raise rents people who work for wages must get more money for working in stores. When the merchant pays more wages he must charge more for his goods. A rise in prices in one quarter calls for proportionate advances all down the line. This kind of procedure gets nowhere. The housewife or landlord who profiteers on rents has no complaint to make when groceries and clothing are higher. They are entitled to a fair increase. Charging 100 per cent, or even 50 per cent more than a year ago cannot be justified.

The only way to relieve present conditions in Vernon is for all classes to recognize that all

have a share in price-making and not until the profiteering spirit is cured around the circle can we hope for better conditions.

Too many of us are overlooking the importance of thrift and economy in the effort to reduce the high cost of living. We seem to forget that for five years the world was engaged in destruction rather than production. The logical result is a world-wide scarcity of everything but money, the circulation of which was increased to finance war activities. During the war production was stimulated and consumption decreased in this country. This worked no hardship on the American people, but now that the war is over we want to resume our pre-war extravagances and thriftlessness. The truth of the business is a big percent of our purchases are unnecessary, and too few of us are producing anything. War economies and war gardens must be supplanted by peace economies and peace gardens. We need to consume less and produce more. The Government can relieve conditions but little. It is an individual problem. The best way to solve it is for each one of us to keep cool and use a little common sense. Conditions can't be changed arbitrarily. American common sense, which carried us safely through the war period, must save us from our present predicament.

More than one tenant has been heard express his determination to buy a farm as soon as this year's bumper crop is harvested. Such plan receives immediate commendation from all classes. It is to be devoutly hoped that one result of high rents in town will be to usher in a great era of home-owning in Vernon, as well as over the county. Surely, too, part of the returns from bumper crops will be used in making more comfortable the old home place. Money used in providing running water, a hot water tank and bath room, a comfortable laundry house for the housewife, is invested in improvements which bring ever-increasing returns.

Fargo News.

Fargo, Aug. 28.—(By special correspondence.)—The Methodist and Baptist meetings are in progress. Good attendance and interest is being shown. Rev. Brooks of Vernon is preaching at the Methodist and Rev. Agee of Margaret at Baptist church.

Mrs. D. L. Ballard and children of Electra accompanied her sister, Mrs. R. L. Rheay and daughters home, where Mrs. Rheay was called on account of the death of Mrs. Ballard's baby.

Mr. and Mrs. Horton Scherer of

FOSTER'S WEATHER BULLETIN

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Washington, D. C., Aug. 29.—Last bulletin gave forecasts of warm wave to cross continent Sept. 3 to 7, meridian 90, 4 to 8, eastern sections 5 to 9; storm waves about one day behind warm waves and cool waves about one day behind storm waves.

Next warm wave will reach Vancouver about Sept. 9 and temperatures will rise on all the Pacific slope. It will cross crest of Rockies Sept. 10, plains sections 11, meridian 90, great lakes, middle Gulf States and Ohio-Tennessee valleys 12, eastern sections 13, reaching vicinity of Newfoundland about Sept. 14. Storm wave will follow about one day behind warm wave and cool wave about one day behind storm wave.

The two disturbances, described in above paragraphs, will control the weather of North America from near Sept. 3 to 14. The fluctuating temperatures of the two weeks will trend downward more than the season suggests and will reach the lowest of the month during the five days centering on Sept. 15. During those five days frosts are expected to reach some parts of Alberta, Saskatchewan, Manitoba, Montana, North Dakota and northern Minnesota. Not much damage is expected. More rain is expected from Sept. 1 to 15 than from 15 to 30; most rain in cotton States east of Mississippi and

least in the States and provinces mentioned in reference to frosts.

The moisture to water all the country east of Rockies crest must come from Caribbean Sea and Gulf of Mexico. As that moisture proceeds northward, on its long voyage, to meet the storms that come from the northwestern Canada, it is precipitated, causing rain, as it approaches higher lands. That precipitation exhausts the moisture; causes a shortage of rain on north sides of ridges and mountain ranges that extend east and west. The Rockies cut this moisture off from the Pacific slope and cause a deficiency of rain.

I am not expecting any material change in cropweather during September. It will be very much like that of August. The evaporation of sea water must change its locality before any great general change can occur in rainfall and cropweather. These facts apply to our southern States west of Rockies. There was good evaporation, west of Mexico, for July and those southwestern States and Mexico got good rains. Only fair evaporation occurred there for August and rainfall was expected to be less. Bad evaporation is expected for that part of the Pacific ocean for September and not much rain is expected and our southern States west of Rockies for September.

Denton county, are here this week visiting friends and looking after his farm interest.

Misses Willie and Jamie Green, Lois Rheay, Minnie Crisp, Messrs. H. E. Key, J. H. Parker, J. L. Crisp, Geo. Goins, Verna Richards, M. L. McDaniel, Frank and Charlie Mason, Artie Hays and Hugh Stringer, were recent Vernon visitors.

Hardy Cabe received the sad news of his father's death in Vernon Monday. He and family left for his mother's home and to attend the funeral. Friends of the family offer sympathy.

A son of Wylie Wheeler's was found on the public road by Lon Cartwright's quite ill of acute indigestion Sunday evening. He is reported to be doing nicely at this writing.

H. B. Wilhelm and family, W. A. Wilhelm and family and Mr. and Mrs. J. G. McCarroll visited their brother here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Linton Sullivan of Vernon visited her mother, Mrs. F. M. Sweatman and family Tuesday.

The meeting at the Church of Christ closed Sunday with ten additions to the church.

Frank Ketchersid, T. J. Besselman, D. T. Jordan, and Geo. Luedke were business visitors in Vernon Tuesday.

Cecil Goins, son of Geo. J. Goins, went to Burk Burnett this week to help his uncle stack wheat.

The threshers are busy, but have not been able to thresh any of the wheat and oats north of Fargo, on account of the recent rains.

T. M. Dennis was called to Altus, Okla., Saturday on account of the illness of his brother, C. Dennis. Floyd Dennis and family accompanied him home Monday.

Relatives from Grayson county are visiting the F. M. Cullum family.

Mrs. M. L. Daniels is visiting her son, Carl McDaniels at Sulphur, Okla. W. B. Packer and family were in Vernon Tuesday.

The teachers for the ensuing year

are: Misses Mamie Allen, superintendent, Vertna Hudson of Tolbert, Lucille and Marie Mary, who were 1919 graduates of the school. Misses Jenkins of Vernon and Leola Smith of Fargo, who taught here last year, wouldn't accept their former positions, because of the salary not being sufficient. Miss Middle Lee Allen did not accept, as she will attend school this fall.

Miss Florence May is visiting relatives in Fort Worth.

Miss Ruth Beavers of Fort Worth is

spending her vacation with her parents, W. H. Beavers and family.

Miss Willie Richardson is spending her vacation at her home, having returned from Washington about a month ago.

Mrs. W. W. Cox of Wichita Falls spent Sunday in Vernon visiting her friend, Mrs. J. M. Underwood.

G. W. Wallen of Crowell was in Vernon yesterday. He was en route to Electra on business.

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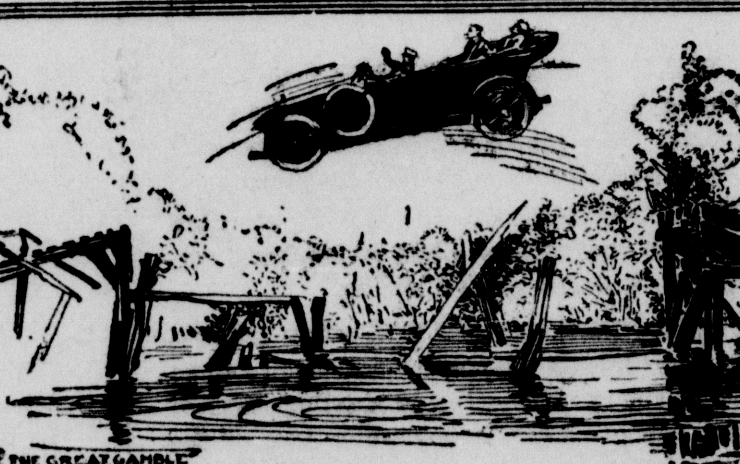
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Local Agent L. L. Herald of the Frisco road has received orders to sell no tickets to points affected by the strike among the trainmen which has tied up rail transportation in California as far north as Fresno and east as far as Yuma, Ariz. The order includes all points on the Southern Pacific south of Bakersfield and Santa Barbara, Calif., and west of Tucson, Ariz.; all points on the Santa Fe south of Barstow, Calif., including San Diego; and all points on the Los Angeles & Salt Lake Ry.

Many Vernon people are in the district isolated by the strike. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Housels, Mrs. L. G. Hawkins, Miss Ruth Hawkins, and Miss Mary Myatt Shive intended to start home Tuesday from Long Beach, California. Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Shive, Misses Olive and Harriett, and Tom Shive, Jr., and S. M. Napier are in Long Beach. W. N. Stokes and family are also in Long Beach, as are Mr. and Mrs. H. F. McKibbin, and Miss Nellie McKibbin. Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ferguson and children, Mrs. R. L. Castlebury, and daughters, Misses Bobbie, Lillie, Vaye, and Ellen, are also in California.

Friends of Rev. A. W. Hall and family of Clarendon were fearful that they were in the isolated district. However, a post card received by Miss Mattie Carney from Miss Ruth Hall advises of their safe return to Texas.

The strike began Thursday night when the switchmen and brakemen in Los Angeles quit work in sympathy with a strike of trainmen on the Pacific Electric Company, operating an interurban system. The trouble rapidly spread until the entire rail system in that section is paralyzed. In many cases, according to newspaper reports, conductors and engineers quit their posts leaving trains loaded with passengers in out-of-the-way stations to get to the destinations as best they might.

So serious had the situation become by Monday that only one train reached Los Angeles. That was a Santa Fe Overland brought from Yuma, Ariz., by grace of the strikers. The Federal grand jury met in Los Angeles Tuesday for the purpose of investigating delay of the mails.

Little hope was offered in late reports for a settlement any time soon. The trainmen continue their strike, despite the instructions of their national chiefs to return to work, pending an investigation with a view to settlement by arbitration.

Commenting on the orders issued by high officials that the men return to their posts, M. E. Montgomery, international vice president of the Locomotive Engineers, said:

"We are urging the men to return to their work only on condition that when they return they will not be required to do anything they did not have to do before they struck, and only when it is quite safe for them to do so. Under present conditions it is quite unsafe for the men to return to work; they stand in danger of being mobbed."

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From the sweep of the stately plume, posed on the brim of a cavalier mode, to the last small wing tip-tilted atop a turban, the New Hats proclaim the artist in the modiste. Women of "distinctive tastes" will want to visit my showing of Gage and Elzee exclusive models.

**MRS. ESTHER KEY
MILLINER.**

At the Churches

Presbyterian Church.

Sermon by the pastor morning and evening.

Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Public cordially invited to all services.

GAINES B. HALL, Pastor.

Two Baptized at Church of Christ.

Elder J. T. Cate filled the pulpit at the Church of Christ Wednesday night. "How to Become a Christian" was the subject of his theme. Two members offered themselves for baptism.

At the Baptist Church.

Next Sunday the pastor will fill the pulpit at both hours. The theme for the morning service will be "Paul's Teaching Concerning the Church."

W. T. ROUSE, Pastor

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our dear friends and neighbors for the help and kindness shown us during the recent illness and death of Susie Murrell, our dear little daughter and sister. May God bless each and every one of them in our prayer.

MR. AND MRS. R. E. MURRELL,

and Children.

MR. AND MRS. W. A. LYON. Itc

Coffee Demonstration Today.

Miss Lillie Warren and Mrs. M. L. Burris are conducting a coffee demonstration today and tomorrow at Williams-Moore Grocery Company on the south side of the square. The first four days this week a demonstration was given in the store of A. P. McCollvey on North Main street. Free coffee is served.

County Agent Expected Home Today.

N. R. Tisdal is expected home today from Lubbock, where he went to meet his family, who have been visiting his sister in Seminole. Mr. Tisdal attended the Childress County Club rally the first part of the week, having a part in the program.

MRS. H. B. WILHELM HOSTESS TO DELPHIANS SEPTEMBER 3.

The Delphian Club will meet with Mrs. H. B. Wilhelm, Wednesday, September 3rd, at 4 o'clock. This is the first meeting since the summer vacation and all members are urged to be present. There will be no study hour, but a lesson for the next meeting will be assigned and business attended to.

Saw Sister First Time in 29 Years.

James H. Smith has returned from a visit to Mill Creek, Okla., at the home of his father. His sister, Mrs. A. J. Mann, of Alva, Okla., met him there. This reunion was the first meeting of brother and sister in 29 years. Mr. Smith expects to return to Wichita Falls today.

Hale & Berry Move Office.

Hale & Berry, dealers in real estate and leases, have moved their office from the Daniel building just south of the Farmers State Bank to an annex to the Hotel Vernon lobby. The firm was formerly Hale & Englehard but Mr. Englehard is temporarily employed in Baker Bros. Drug Store.

Orba McCurdy Landed at Brooklyn.

Mrs. L. E. McCurdy received a message Tuesday announcing the arrival at Brooklyn of her son, Orba, who has been with the Marine Corps in Cuba for several months. He expects to receive his discharge and return home within the next few days.

Rev. Rouse Will Return by Sunday.

Rev. W. T. Rouse, pastor of the First Baptist Church, is expected to return either today or tomorrow from Shamrock, where he has been for the last two weeks conducting a revival meeting. Regular services will be held at the local Baptist Church Sunday.

Dallas Man With Russell.

D. E. Wood of Dallas has accepted a position with the H. C. Russell & Son Dry Goods Company. He was formerly employed with the Volk's store in Dallas.

Getting The Children Ready For School



We are ready to supply you with everything to wear that the boys and girls will need. We never were so well prepared as this season.

School Shoes of Solid Leather

It is not so much how much you pay for a pair of shoes—it's the value you get in a shoe that counts. Experience has taught us that no substitutes for leather will give satisfactory wear, and for that reason we sell nothing but shoes made of good solid leather, **The Star Brand**. They cost less per month. We have every new last and leather and can fit every foot.

Boys' Shoes . \$3.50 to \$6
Girls' Shoes \$3.50 to \$8.50

The New Suits for Boys Are Here in Great Variety

We know the kind of suits the boys like best, and have assembled a collection large enough to take care of every boy who comes into our store.

Special value, Boys' Two-Trouser Suits **\$18**

Other good values ranging from **\$7.50 TO \$24.50**

PERKINS-TIMBERLAKE CO.

VERNON, TEXAS

Mrs. Moll Pickens and children are spending a week in Electra with her husband who is connected with the Waggoner Refinery in that city. Adv. Itc

We have buyers for farms and city property. If you wish to sell see us at once. Hale & Berry, Hotel Vernon lobby. Adv. Itc

Nearly new four room house and four lots in desirable locality. Price \$2,750, half cash. Hale & Berry, Hotel Vernon lobby. Adv. Itc

Miss Lora Long is expected to return today from a several weeks' visit in Fort Worth, Sherman and other points in that section of the state.

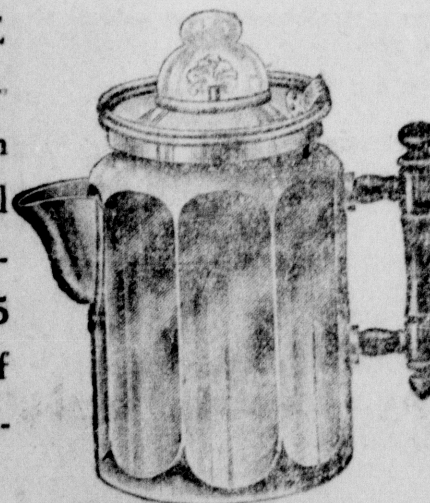
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As Long as They Last

With each purchase of 3-pound can of OUR STANDARD COFFEE, Friday and Saturday, will be given as a premium one 7-inch blade Bread Knife. The number of knives is limited, and we suggest that you come early to our

Coffee Demonstration

This delicious COFFEE WILL BE SERVED Friday and Saturday. In addition to this, we will sell you a 7-cup Aluminum Percolator at \$1.25 with each 3-pound can of our STANDARD Coffee at \$1.75. Total \$3.



Williams-Moore Grocery Co.

South Side Square

THE REMEDY

for our present as well as our future financial condition is expressed by two words—**WORK** and **SAVE**. This will reduce the high cost of living as well as the cost of high living.

Now is the time when everyone should save a part of their earnings. The time is coming when some one must quit spending and commence saving. Why not begin now?

HAVE YOU A BANK ACCOUNT?

The Herring National Bank

VERNON, TEXAS

C. T. Herring, Pres.

L. K. Johnson, Vice-Pres.

G. C. Morris, Cashier.

School Opening

The regular session of the Holcomb Training School will begin Monday, September 8, 1919. Courses are offered in Teacher-Training, College-Preparatory, Intermediate, Bookkeeping, Shorthand, Typewriting, Salesmanship, and Corporation. Discipline firm, yet mild. Strong faculty. Terms reasonable.

Those in need of assistants in bookkeeping, stenography or typewriting should confer with us as we have a list of competent helpers.

HOLCOMB TRAINING SCHOOL.

Vernon, Texas

Plant that dollar in the bank today

YOU can't expect a crop of money at the end of your earning season if you don't plant a few dollars in the bank NOW.

LIFE is just a matter of farming—of finding fertile soil in a good field—of breaking ground and being patient. The harvesting comes last—the main work must be done while the least results are showing—Herbert Kaufman.

THE FARMERS STATE BANK
VERNON TEXAS

READER COMMENDS RECORD EDITORIAL

CHILlicothe MAN SAYS RENT- ERS CAN HELP BY CARING FOR PLACES.

E. S. Hendrick of Chillicothe commends a recent editorial in The Record suggesting things tenants can do to encourage the building of more homes and thus tending to lower rents. He says:

"As one who has tenant houses to rent in your town I want to congratulate you upon the editorial headed, 'Tenants Can Help.' These houses were built for those who were not able to build, or those who did not wish to invest their money for a profit that way.

"I have not had very much trouble, so to speak, with renters, and find that a majority of them take excellent care of the houses. There are others, however, who cost you as much as the rent brings to keep the houses in repair.

Those who are not used to modern houses frequently care but little in what condition they keep a place and it matters nothing to them what their carelessness costs the owner. Of course, some one has to foot the bill—and it is generally the next person who occupies the premises, otherwise the investment would be worthless, counting wear and tear, taxes and insurance, and those who move without paying what they owe.

"I have had all this to contend with. I have had to turn down several whom I thought were nice housekeepers and good pay, owing to the fact that they did not have a good name for caring and paying for the homes in which they lived. But as a class, I have found that it depends altogether to whom you rent as to what condition your house will be left in.

"The editorial is A-1 and should open the eyes of those who rent."

Wildcat News.

Wildcat, Aug. 28. (By special correspondence.) Mrs. W. T. Ashley from Oklahoma spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. George Chadwick.

Miss Sallie Allingham of Vernon is spending the week with Mrs. I. G. Luttrell.

Mack Fulton is visiting his father, Joe Fulton, at Addington, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. George Chadwick received a letter from their son Howard, this week telling them to write no more for he was coming home. Howard, who is with the American army in France, was retained when his company sailed to be a quartermaster. He is the only boy still away from our community.

The Smithson thrasher was shipped from here Friday to the Plains.

Doyle Gould from Haulk is chopping cotton for Jasper Burk this week. He says his sister, Birtie, who formerly lived here with her parents, has gone to Sherman to attend school this term.

Mrs. McAlexander from Hinds spent Wednesday night with her son, Orin. He belongs to the Texas Cavalry and is looking for a call any time.

Mrs. Rhone Martin of West Vernon, and niece and daughter from Wharton county, spent Friday with Mrs. I. G. Luttrell.

Mrs. Luttrell visited Mr. and Mrs. Earl Luttrell in Vernon Sunday.

Oil Man Goes to Louisiana.

Robert Burns of San Antonio was in Vernon Wednesday, leaving for Louisiana that night. Mr. Burns and associates have recently bought some land in this county on which they will prospect for oil. He has large holdings in the Caddo field in Louisiana, on which the largest well produces 2,500 barrels a day.

Mrs. J. P. Nash returned Tuesday night from a visit with relatives in Illinois. She has been away about eight weeks.

Moss Lovelace has resigned his position with Bargdoll & Stanley and expects to leave Sunday night for Dallas to attend the Metropolitan Business College.

Lady Overcomes Use of Morphine

"Troubled about 10 years with what the doctors called gall stones, often I thought I would die before the doctor could get here, when he would give me a hypodermic of morphine and advise an operation. A neighbor told me about May's Wonderful Remedy for stomach trouble, and since taking the first dose 2 years ago I have not had an attack nor needed a hypodermic. It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. Sold in Vernon by T. M. Ferguson Drug Company and druggists everywhere. Adv. 11

Doans News.

Doans, Aug. 28. (By special correspondence.) The crops were greatly benefited by the rains of the past week.

The thrasher is running again. Most every one is busy heading the vast maize crop, the largest for several years.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hamilton, B. A. Ross and family of Odell were guest of C. E. Doan Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hamm went to Harrold last week for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Aubrey Neal.

O. K. and Cecil Storey of Vernon and T. M. Coan of Electra spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Ross.

J. D. Allison and family of Hinds and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stroud of Odell were guests in the J. S. Rowland home Sunday.

Mrs. Chas. Igo has returned to her home in Electra, after spending a week with her father, C. E. Doan, and sister, Mrs. A. S. Ross.

M. G. Neathery and family of Vernon spent the week-end at the club lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Haney, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Strickland and Mrs. J. H. Watts of Vernon spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Watts.

B. P. Estes and family and the latter's mother, Mrs. Scott of Vernon, were at the home of his sister, Mrs. R. A. Eastman, Sunday and Monday.

Miss Lura Owen spent last week with her brother, R. H. Owen of Fargo and attended the meeting at the Christian Church.

B. H. Robinson of Fort Worth is here looking after the Robinson-Harrington oil interests. They are drilling a well.

Edgar Cowan of Durant, Okla., spent last week with his uncle, J. W. Cowan.

Mrs. H. M. Lacy and daughter, Miss Vivian, spent Monday with Mrs. N. A. Lipscomb.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Briscoe and daughter, Miss Annie Lou, of Vernon and Miss Winnie McSpadden of

Floydada were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harrold Briscoe, Monday.

Jess Collier has gone to Missoni for a visit with his mother and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ammons and little daughter, Geneva, spent Saturday night at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Ammons.

Sam Cannon, son and daughter, have returned from a visit with his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Cannon of Clarendon.

Mrs. Mattie James of Paoli, Kansas, is visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. S. S. James of Tolbert.

W. W. Sherrill and family returned yesterday to his home in Commerce after a visit of several days in Vernon with his brother, R. B. Sherrill.

Paul Schroeder was in Vernon yesterday en route to his home in Fayette county. He had been visiting his brother, Otto Schroeder near Thalia, who accompanied him to Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hood and son, Jack, returned yesterday morning from a several days' stay in Claude and Shamrock. Mr. Hood reports that the crops in that country are better than they have been for many years.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Shropshire, and Mrs. J. T. Cameron of Harrold, were in Vernon Wednesday. Mrs. Cameron is an aunt of Mr. Shropshire, who only last week received his discharge from the army. He was a captain in the National Guard and lived at Plainview before the war.



ITCH!

Hunt's Salve, formerly called Hunt's Cure is especially compounded for the treatment of Itch, Eczema, Ring worm, and Tetter, and is sold by the druggist on the strict guarantee that the purchase price, 75c, will be promptly refunded to any dissatisfied customer. Try Hunt's Salve at our risk. For sale locally by

BAKER BROS. DRUG CO.

J. E. Doran is expecting to return Sunday from Manitou, Colo., where he has been spending the summer.

Miss Lottie Chester of Mill Creek, Okla., is visiting at the home of James H. Smith in Southwest Vernon. Miss Chester is a niece of Mr. Smith.

Mrs. Clint Brewer of Memphis is in Vernon, visiting at the home of her friend, Mrs. Bettie Armstrong on North Bowie street.

Mrs. Maggie Powers of Red Springs is visiting at the home of her father, J. M. Richardson, and other relatives in the Doans community.

LIFT CORNS OR CALLUSES OFF

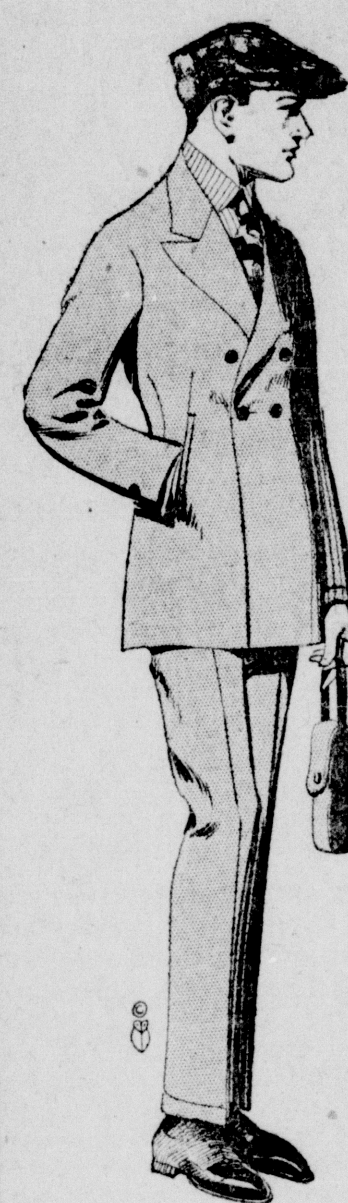
Doesn't hurt! Lift any corn or callus off with fingers



Don't suffer! A tiny bottle of Freezone costs but a few cents at any drug store. Apply a few drops on the corns, calluses and "hard skin" on bottom of feet, then lift them off.

When Freezone removes corns from the toes or calluses from the bottom of feet, the skin beneath is left pink and healthy and never sore, tender or irritated. Adv. 17-11 Fri.

NEWEST STYLES IN KIRSCHBAUM SUITS



For Men and
Young Men

AND

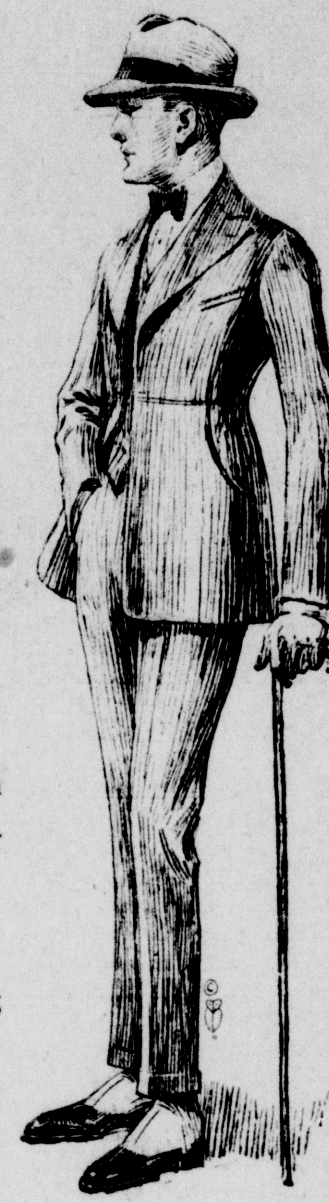
WOOLEY-BOY
Suits for Boys

We will be delighted to show them to you as fast as they arrive.

A new shipment of Stetson and Supreme hats just arrived in all the latest shapes.

Drop in and look them over; it's a pleasure to show you.

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Pavements,
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Now is the time to build
Cyclone Cellars,
Every Farm Improvement.

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THE RIGHT KIND AT THE RIGHT PRICE

Our many years in the business has taught us what kind of groceries to handle for the different seasons. We handle a full line of the right kind of staple and fancy groceries and guarantee honesty and fair dealing in all of our transactions. We have cut expenses to a minimum and are in position to give you better groceries for less money.

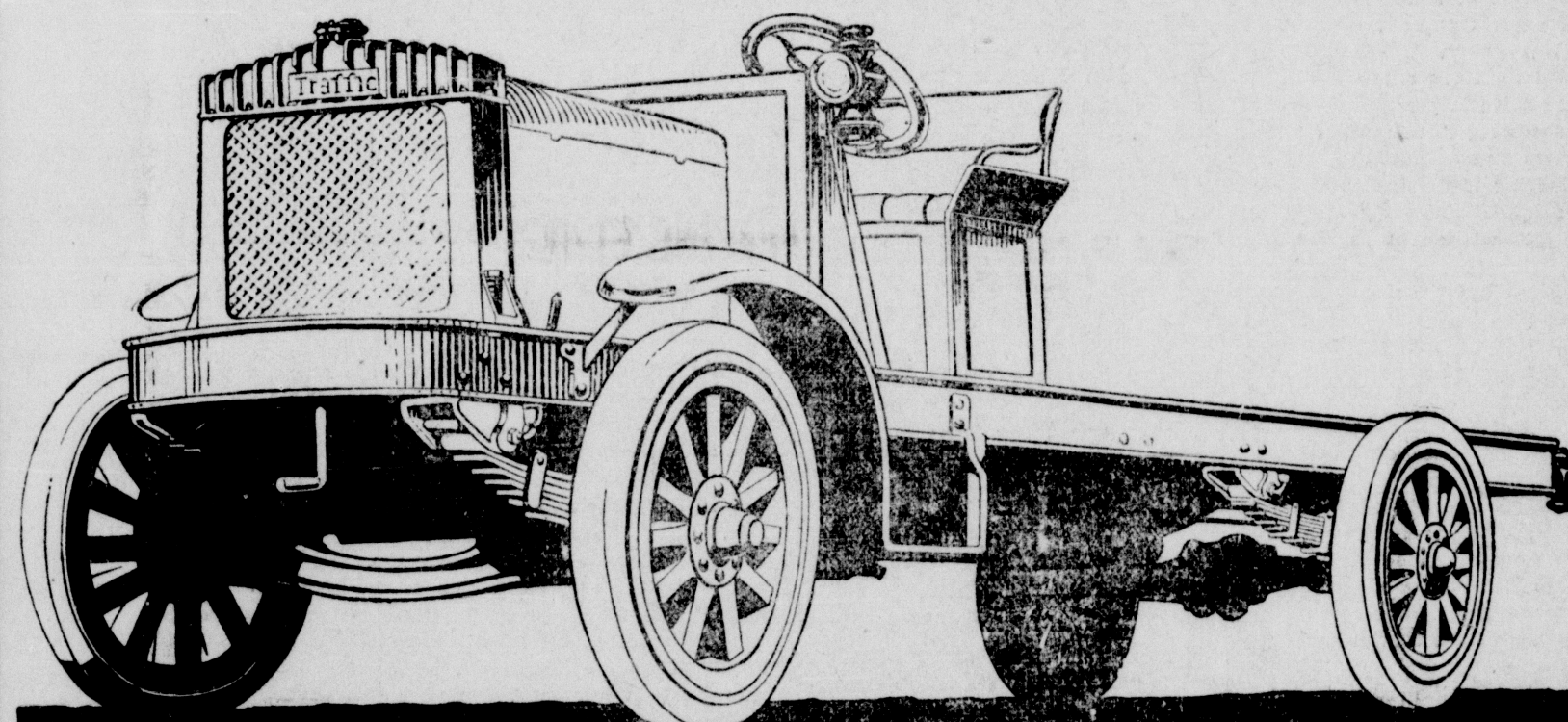
We do not deliver, and being a cash store, do not have any bad accounts for which we must make allowance in charges. Our one effort is to give you right groceries at the right price and in the right way.

Try us for your next month's groceries and we believe you will become one of our long list of satisfied customers.

People's Cash and Carry Grocery

E. E. EGGLESTON, Proprietor

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THE LOWEST PRICED 4000 LB. CAPACITY TRUCK IN THE WORLD.

\$1395.00

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SPECIFICATIONS

Red Seal Continental 3 3-4x5 motor.
Convert transmission.
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Standard parts throughout.

LET US DEMONSTRATE TO YOU THIS IS
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4000 LBS. CAPACITY

FOR SALE

Real Estate
FOR SALE—Good six-room residence, close in, price right. Address owner, Box 187. 62-tfc

FOR SALE OR TRADE—320 acres farm land in Ford county. Will trade for residence in Vernon. Roberts & Dunbar, Exchange Building. 1tc

LOT 60 1-2 by 200 feet on West Texas street. A bargain if sold at once. J. B. Love, Telephone 625. 62-tfc

FOR SALE—206 3-4 acres land, three-fourths mile northeast of Oklahoma, good improvements, also some good milk cows for sale at a bargain. J. S. Couch. 60-8tp

Livestock and Poultry

FOR SALE—One Poland China Boar, 8 months old, good condition, ready for service. Cheap for cash. See L. W. Johnson, (colored) Vernon Cotton Oil Co. 1tp

FOR SALE—Bay pony, about 900 pounds, smooth mouth, stout back, good work horse. A. C. (Eck) Roberts, piano tuner. Phone 229, Vernon. 65-5tc

FOR SALE OR TRADE—We have a bunch of horses that we will sell or trade. Will trade for anything. Howland & Sneed. 65-2tc

FOR SALE—Duroc Jersey pigs, both sex for fall breeding; good individuals, and highly bred. Papers for registration furnished. J. N. Denny. 64-3tp

FOR SALE CHEAP—Eight good milk cows, registered Duroc boar and several registered sows and pigs, subject to registration. R. B. Judd, near Fox schoolhouse. 64-4tp

FOR SALE—Ten mules, harness and wagon, all or any part of this outfit at private sale. Mules can be seen in W. O. Anderson pen on North Main street. This is first class stuff. Mules 16 hands high and better, 7 years old. Reason for selling, county will buy tractor for road work. See O. A. McCaleb for prices. 64-2tp

Miscellaneous

FOR SALE—Practically new Remington, No. 10 typewriter. See Conger Sheet Metal Co. 64-3tp

FOR SALE—Player piano, same as new, fine Mahogany finish. Phone 155. 58-4t

FOR SALE—Limited amount of seed rice for sale. See me or telephone 9031-R-4. H. Y. Pitts. 62-4tp

FOR SALE—One five-passenger Mitchell-Six in good running order. Will make dandy truck or family car if repainted. Will consider some good oil stock in trade. Also have a Dodge Roadster with new battery in good running order. If interested, see or write H. T. Still, Vernon. 55-2tp

SPECIAL NOTICE.

WILL THE PERSON who come in my house either Friday or Saturday night and took my diamond ring please return it. Liberal reward and no questions asked. Mrs. J. A. Randall. 64-2tp

POSTED NOTICE—Notice is hereby given that the R. S. Allen place nine miles north of Harold has been posted according to law. Hunters and fishermen are warned to keep out. C. J. Ferguson, leasee. 55-48tp

I HAVE A LARGE amount of money to loan on farm lands. Long time and low rate of interest. T. P. Lisman. 29-tfc

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Two light housekeeping rooms and one bed room. Mrs. Ace Sneed at Russell's. 1tp

WANTED

WANT TO RENT—House, 3 or 4 rooms. See John Leitko at Lowke Bros. 1tp

WANTED—Horses or mules to pasture. Good Johnson grass and stubble field. \$1 a month. W. M. Judd. 60-4t

BRING ME your second hand furniture and get the highest market price. A. C. Hahn. 26-tfc

WANTED—Carpenter to do some repair work. Phone 155. 64-tfc

WANTED—A janitor for Central Christian Church. A snap for some body if you have a little spare time each week. See J. E. Collins at Swartwood & Co. 64-2tp

WANTED—A girl or woman helper; permanent place for the right kind; good wages. Phone 35, Mrs. C. R. Staley. 62-tfc

LOST, FOUND OR STRAYED.

FOUND—Purse containing money left at Crow Sisters last Saturday. Owner can get same by giving description and paying for this ad. 1tc

LOST—Dark blue horse colt, year old passed, little thin, seen in Vernon Thursday evening. Suppose he followed some one out of town. Notify M. R. Bolton, Route 4 or Phone J. L. Hall, 9006-F-3. 64-3tp

LOST—Blue coat, somewhere between Fargo and White City Sunday. Return to Arthur Nunn on Vernon Route 3 or phone 2050-R-12. Reward. 64-2tp

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The Woman's Tonic

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LEGAL NOTICES.

Notice to Lease.

Estate of John J. Wolf, Deceased. Antone Wolf and Geo. J. Wolf, independent executors. In County Court of Wichita County, Texas, August Term, A. D. 1919.

Notice is hereby given that we, Antone Wolf and Geo. J. Wolf, independent executors of the estate of John J. Wolf, deceased, have made application to the Judge of the County Court for an order to lease Subdivision No. 153 of the Waggoner Colony lands in Wichita and Wilbarger Counties, Texas, the same being a part of the estate of John J. Wolf, deceased. The application will be heard ten days after this date at Wichita Falls, Texas, and said land will be leased for oil, gas, and other minerals and metals immediately upon receiving an order from said court.

ANTON J. WOLF, Independent executor of John J. Wolf, Estate.
GEO. J. WOLF, Independent executor of John J. Wolf, Estate.

By C. P. ENGELKING, Attorney for Anton Wolf and Geo. J. Wolf. 1tp

Citation.

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The State of Texas. To all persons interested in the welfare of Henry Crawford, a Minor, L. H. Crawford was by the County Court of Wilbarger County, Texas, on the 26th day of May, A. D. 1919, duly appointed Temporary Guardian of the person and estate of said Minor, which appointment will be made permanent unless the same shall be successfully contested at the next term of said court, commencing on the first Monday in October, A. D. 1919, at the Court House thereof, in Vernon, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of said Minor may appear and contest such appointment if they so desire.

Herein Fail Not, but have you before said court, on the first day of the next term thereof this Writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same, given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Vernon, this the 25th day of August, A. D. 1919.

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CALOMEL DYNAMITES
A SLUGGISH LIVER

Crashes into sour bile, making you sick and you lose a day's work.

Calomel salivates! It's mercury. Calomel acts like dynamite on a sluggish liver. When calomel comes into contact with sour bile it crashes into it, causing cramping and nausea. If you feel bilious, headachy, constipated and all knocked out, just go to your druggist and get a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tonic for a few cents, which is a harmless vegetable substitute for dangerous calomel. Take a spoonful and if it doesn't start your liver and straighten you up better and quicker than nasty calomel and without making you sick, you just go back and get your money. If you take calomel today you'll be sick and nauseated tomorrow; besides, it may salivate you, while if you take Dodson's Liver Tonic you will wake up feeling great, full of ambition and ready for work or play. It is harmless, pleasant and safe to give to children; they like it.

LEGAL NOTICES.

ished for a period of not less than one year in said Wilbarger County, a copy of the following notice:

The State of Texas. To all persons interested in the welfare of Brownlow Humphreys and Archie Humphreys, Minors, Mrs. Edna Humphreys was by the County Court of Wilbarger County, Texas, on the 5th day of July, A. D. 1919, duly appointed Temporary Guardian of the estate of said Minors, which appointment will be made permanent unless the same shall be successfully contested at the next term of said court, commencing on the first Monday in October, A. D. 1919, at the Court House thereof, in Vernon, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of said Minors may appear and contest such appointment if they so desire.

Herein Fail Not, but have you before said court, on the first day of the next term thereof this Writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same, given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Vernon, this the 25th day of August, A. D. 1919.

VERNA LUCKY, Clerk, County Court, Wilbarger County, Texas. 65-3tc Fri.

Sheriff's Notice of Election.

The State of Texas, County of Wilbarger. Notice is hereby given that an election will be held on the 13th day of September, 1919, at the Plainview School House in Common County Line School District No. 28 of Wilbarger and Hardeman Counties, Texas, as established by order of the board of County School Trustees of Wilbarger County on the 26th day of June, 1919, which order is of record in Book 1, pages 51 and 52 of the Record of School Districts of said county, and the board of County School Trustees of Hardeman County, on the 25th day of July, 1919, which order is of record in Book 1, pages 49 and 50 of the Record of School Districts of said county, to determine whether a majority of the legally qualified voters of said county, who desire the issuance of bonds on the faith and credit of said Common County Line School District in the amount of \$2300, the bonds to be of the denomination of \$100 each, numbered consecutively from one to twenty-two, both inclusive, payable two years from their date, with option of redemption at any time after five years from their date, and bearing five per cent interest per annum, shall vote in favor of the issuance of said bonds, to provide funds to be expended in payment of accounts contracted in building and equipping a public free school building of wood material within said district, and to determine whether the common voters of the counties of Wilbarger and Hardeman, Texas, shall be authorized to levy, assess and collect annually a certain amount of tax upon all taxable property within said district situated within the respective counties sufficient to pay the current interest on said bonds and provide a sinking fund sufficient to pay the principal at maturity.

J. E. Grimes has been appointed presiding officer of said election and he shall select two judges and two clerks to assist him in holding the same and he shall within five days after said election has been held make due return thereof to the commissioners court of Wilbarger county, which is the county designated to manage and have control of the public schools in said district, as is required by law for holding a general election.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this state and of the counties of Wilbarger and Hardeman, Texas, and who are resident property tax payers in Common County Line School District No. 28 of said counties shall be entitled to vote at said election, and all voters desiring to support the proposition to issue bonds shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "For the Bonds," and those opposed shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "Against the Bonds."

Said election was ordered by the County Judge of this county by order made on the 21st day of August, 1919, and this notice is given in pursuance of said order.

Dated the 21st day of August, 1919.

W. A. ISH, 62-tfc, Sheriff of Wilbarger County, Tex.

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CITY SCHOOLS GET SHIPMENT OF BOOKS

COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT HAS NO RECORD OF ANY FOR RURAL SCHOOLS.

So far as has been reported to County Superintendent J. N. Fulcher none of the school books issued under the free text book law have been received by trustees of the rural schools of Wilbarger county. The city schools have received a small shipment.

As a matter of fact, Mr. Fulcher advises, a number of the trustees have not as yet received their books from Austin. These books, which are given for the purpose of insuring that the books will be properly cared for, must be approved by the county judge and then sent to Austin for approval by the State Superintendent before the books will be forwarded to the depository here.

For this reason it is of the utmost importance, Mr. Fulcher asserts, that these books be made out, approved by the county judge, and forwarded to Austin as soon as possible.

Ochiltree Man Buys Home Here.

J. C. Conway of Ochiltree has bought the L. A. Ferguson home in Northeast Vernon and will move to his new property at an early date. Mr. and Mrs. Conway visited Wichita Falls, Fort Worth and a number of East Texas points and finally decided on Vernon as the best residence town they had seen. "We have been seeking over a large part of Texas for a location for a permanent home and unquestionably this is the best place we have found," Mr. Conway declared. The transaction was negotiated by J. R. Jones.

Luther Webb Sworn In.

A called meeting of the City Commission was held yesterday afternoon when Luther Webb was sworn in as Commissioner of place No. 3. He was successful candidate in the special election held Tuesday. The returns from the election, at which \$25,000 in bonds were also voted on, were canvassed and the results declared.

Geo. Hix Expected Tomorrow.

Mrs. Geo. D. Hix is in receipt of a message from her husband that he is on his way home. He is expected to arrive tomorrow. He has been in the Navy for about twenty-eight months and recently was First Class Yeoman in the paymaster's office in New York City.

J. L. Showers Buys Donges Home

Adam Donges has sold his home on North Bowie street to J. L. Showers, manager of the Herring-Showers Lumber Company, for a consideration of \$4,200. Mr. Showers will take possession of his new home in about thirty days. Mr. Donges will build in North-west Vernon.

Misses Elizabeth and Carrie Adelle Long returned Thursday to their home in Fort Worth, after visiting some time with Misses Mildred and Iris Young on West Paradise street.

Mrs. Maude Wells and children of Sulphur Bluff, and Mrs. Addie Sullivan and children of Mabelle have all returned to their homes after an extended visit in Vernon with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Hurt.

ASKS TO BE NAMED DISTRICT ATTORNEY

C. A. WILLIAMS OF CHILDRESS J. A. STOREY'S ONLY ANNOUNCED OPPONENT.

John A. Storey of this city is an applicant for appointment to the office of District Attorney of the 46th Judicial District to succeed O. T. Warlick of Vernon, whose resignation becomes effective Monday. Mr. Storey has been endorsed by the Vernon bar and a long list of local citizens. He made a trip to Austin to see Governor Hobbs in the interest of his candidacy and returned Wednesday.

Mr. Storey had two years in the law department of the University of Texas, but received his degree from Lebanon University at Lebanon, Tenn. He began the practice of law in Vernon, but volunteered in the National Guard at the outbreak of the war and went overseas with the 36th division. He was commissioned a lieutenant at Camp Bowie.

C. A. Williams of Childress is also an applicant for the place.

Lieutenant Watts From Oversea.

Mrs. J. H. Watts received a message Monday announcing the arrival of her son, Lieutenant Clyde Watts, from overseas. He landed at Camp Merritt and will go to Camp Shelby, Miss., for discharge. He is expected to arrive in Vernon some time next week. Lieutenant Watts was with the Seventh Infantry, Third Division, and has been overseas for over a year. He has been with the Army of Occupation for several months.

Crops Good in Donley County.

C. S. Ballew and family returned Wednesday afternoon from Clarendon, where they had been on a visit with his brother. Mr. Ballew reports that the crops in that section are in splendid condition and he never before saw as much maize and kaffir corn as is being raised in Donley county.

A. Y. Beverly of Crowell was a business visitor in Vernon Wednesday.

Mrs. E. M. Haney is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Basham, in Wichita Falls.

S. S. Bell was in Vernon transacting business Wednesday. He lives at Crowell.

Mrs. W. R. Lane and children left yesterday for Wichita Falls to visit at the home of her brother, C. E. Basham.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Bench of Wichita Falls are visiting their daughter, Mrs. A. E. Wolf, on North Mesquite street.

Mrs. T. J. McGill and son, T. J. Jr., and Miss H. J. Bullock returned Monday from a trip to Wellington, Quail, Amarillo and other points in the Panhandle. They report bumper crops for the Panhandle country.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Gardner have returned to their home in Chillicothe, after spending from Saturday until Tuesday in Vernon, visiting their son, E. W. The latter is manager of the lumber yard of Wm. Cameron & Company.

West Vernon News.

West Vernon, Aug. 28.—(By special correspondence.)—Miss Winnie Jackson of Chillicothe is visiting Miss Theresa Hazard.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa Vaughn and daughter, Era, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Joseph, Monroe Cook, Steve Gaw, and Dede Cook, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Cook.

Miss Clara Cook spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Lucy Pettit of Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. King and Eva King spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Phipps of White City.

Miss Seva Anderson returned home Friday from a week's visit with friends in Chillicothe.

A. F. Page of Chillicothe was a business visitor in Vernon yesterday.

J. R. Jones's real estate office is on North Main street in Ferguson building.

10 PLEAD GUILTY TO SPEEDING ONE WILL FIGHT HIS CASE

Ten of the eleven persons recently arrested in one night for speeding on West Wilbarger street have entered pleas of guilty in Justice Griffiths' court. All were given the minimum fine of \$1 and costs. One of these is not disposed of. The defendant will ask a jury trial.

Four other charges of violations of the traffic laws have been made in justice court. One was for speeding and the others were for operating car without number, running with muffler open, and the fourth was for operating car without license. Pleas of guilty were entered in all four cases.

Wanted—Nice clean, cotton rags at the record office. Don't bring any old stockings or woolen pants. Itc

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Theodore Collins Improving.

Friends of Theodore Collins of Odell will be glad to know that he is improving. His father, W. T. Collins, returned this week from Albuquerque, N. M., where his son has been in a sanitarium for about six weeks. Mr. Collins thinks that Theodore will remain in Albuquerque for several months yet.

Returns From Childress Club Rally.

Miss Omnia Wilcox, home demonstration agent, returned Tuesday night from Childress, where she had been attending the club rally of the Childress county agricultural clubs. Miss Wilcox was on the programs and gave lectures on basketry, table manners, and the laying of the table.

Miss Lois McLaughlin is visiting in Wichita Falls at the home of her uncles, R. M. and C. H. Gilchrist.

Miss Bella Eakle left Thursday for a month's vacation, which she will spend in Corpus Christi and Dallas. In the latter city she will visit her sister.

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Smart Wool Coats\$6.95 up to \$19.95
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